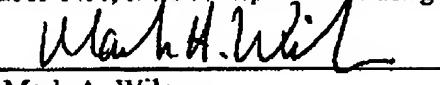


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Application Serial Number: 10/053,781		Filing Date: 1/20/2002		Examiner: Nawaz, Asad		Art Unit: 2155
Invention: COHERENT PROVISIONING OF MULTIPLE TRAFFIC PATHS IN TRANSPORT NETWORKS						
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.						
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	19	MINUS	19	0	\$25	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	5	MINUS	5	0	\$100	\$ 0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of <u>7/4/2006</u> to and through <u>9/4/2006</u> , comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of: <input type="checkbox"/> one month (\$60.00) <input type="checkbox"/> three months (\$510.00) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months (\$225.00) <input type="checkbox"/> four months (\$795.00)						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assertion of Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed. <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of <u>\$ 0.00</u> is attached. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge <u>\$ 225.00</u> to Deposit Account <u>50-3444</u> . <input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required.						
<u>August 18, 2006</u> date		 Mark A. Wilson Reg. No. 43,994				
<p>I hereby certify that this Correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal service with sufficient postage for U.S. Express Mail in an envelope address to the Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop Amendment, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or the correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO, on August 18, 2006.</p> <p> Mark A. Wilson</p>						
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